

ARGUMENTS/REMARKS

Applicants would like to thank the examiner for the careful consideration given the present application. The application has been amended as suggested by the Examiner to put the application into a condition for allowance.

Claims 24-25, 27, 47-48, and 82 remain in this application. The remaining claims have been canceled. Claims 24, 27, 47 and 82 have been amended to put them into independent format as suggested by the Examiner. Accordingly, the objection to claims 24-25, 27, 47-48, and 82 is overcome and that are in a condition for allowance. Hence, it is respectfully submitted that the present application is in a condition for allowance and notice to that effect is hereby requested. If it is determined that the application is not in a condition for allowance, a personal interview with the undersigned attorney and the Examiner is requested to expedite prosecution of the present application.

If there are any additional fees resulting from this communication, please charge same to our Deposit Account No. 16-0820, our Order No. P&TS 34359.

Respectfully submitted,  
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